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PRACTICE AREAS

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- Major Personal Injury Claims

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EDUCATION

- LLB, University of Toronto (1985)
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BAR LOCATIONS

- British Columbia (1986)

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Work Highlights

- Rousta v. MacKay, 2018 BCCA 29
- Foley v. Imperial Oil Limited, 2011 BCCA 262
- Chapman v. Summer et al., 2005 BCSC 1359
- Ible v. Chirag, 2006 BCSC 1624 9
- Vista Online Ltd. v. Perreault et al., 2004 BCSC 1579
- Gourmet Gallery Inc. v. Pacific International Development Corp., 2002 BCCA 150
- Gourmet Gallery Inc. v. Pacific International Development Corp., 2000 BCCA 681

Publications

- "Intermediate Contracts of Employment", CLE Employment Law Conference, 2010
- "Injunctions and Anton Piller Orders" Continuing Legal Education Society, 1998

Associations and Memberships

- Director, Arthritis Research Canada
- Member, Trial Lawyers Association of British Columbia since 1988
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